

said remote cordless telephone base unit connected to a computer, comprising a base unit rf transceiver for communication with said handset rf transceiver, means for determining whether said communication represents a DTMF signal or audio information, circuitry for translating communications from said handset rf transceiver into digital form for transmission to a computer, circuitry for receiving digital data from said computer and translating said digital data to a form suitable for transmission to said base unit rf transceiver, and means for transmitting signals between said base unit rf transceiver and said computer,

and a computer having a connection to a digital telephony network and a connection to said remote cordless telephone base unit, said computer executing software programmed to

accept data from said remote cordless telephone base unit,
transmit audio information input from said remote cordless telephone base unit to said digital telephony network,
receive audio information input from said digital telephony network, convert ~~it~~ said audio information input to a form suitable for said remote cordless telephone base unit and transmit ~~it~~ said audio information input to said cordless telephone unit;

wherein said software is compatible with telephony software utilized by Internet telephony providers so as to allow emulation of a cordless POTS telephone call over the Internet

whereby one user may carry on a voice conversation with a second user over said digital telephony network.

Claim 4

Summary of changes: change "the ring and status" to "ring and status". This change is requested in order to avoid any issue as to antecedent basis. Support is found in the claim as originally filed.

Proposed claim, showing amendments:

4. A device as in Claim 1 wherein said connection between said computer and said remote cordless telephone base unit comprises an RS232 for the ring and status signals and a computer sound card.

Claim 5

Summary of changes: change "the ring and status" to "ring and status". This change is requested in order to avoid any issue as to antecedent basis. Support is found in the claim as originally filed.

Proposed claim, showing amendments:

5. A device as in Claim 1 wherein said connection between said computer and said remote cordless telephone base unit comprises a Universal Serial Bus for the ring and status signals and a computer sound card.

A complete listing of the claims is attached hereto.

Favorable action is solicited. Should there be issues which could be resolved by a telephone conference, Applicant requests that the Examiner contact the undersigned.

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